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Be it known that WE, MATTI KIIK, residing at 2500 Springwood Lane, Richardson, County of Dallas, State of Texas, 75082; ROBERT JOSEPH TOBIN, residing at 121 Oakview Drive, Double Oak, County of Denton, Texas 75077; LOUIS T. HAHN, residing at 110 Oak Tree Drive, Waxahachie, County of Ellis, Texas; MARGIE A. BEERER, residing at 702 South Hall Street, Ennis, County of Ellis, Texas; and YOUNGER AHLUWALIA, residing at 604 Regalwood Drive, Desoto, County of Dallas, State of Texas, 75115, citizens of the United States of America, have invented an improvement in--

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Please amend page 1 of the specification by inserting, before the paragraph that begins with "FIELD OF THE INVENTION", the following:

--CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION(S)

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This application is a continuation-in-part of pending U.S. Application Serial No. 09/663,255 filed on September 15, 2000, which claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) to Provisional Application No. 60/168,057, filed November 30, 1999.--

REMARKS

The applicants claim the benefits under Title 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of prior U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/168,057, filed November 30, 1999. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.78, the specification of the present application has been amended to recite that the present application is a continuation-in-part of pending U.S. Application Serial No. 09/663,255 filed on September 15, 2000, which claims the benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) to Provisional Application 60/168,057.